

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
EASTERN DIVISION**

**IN RE: WELDING FUME PRODUCTS  
LIABILITY LITIGATION** :  
: **Case No. 1:03-CV-17000**  
: **(MDL Docket No. 1535)**  
: **JUDGE O'MALLEY**  
: **MEMORANDUM AND ORDER**

There are currently a number of plaintiffs who have not adhered to certain case management requirements that this Court has imposed on all *Welding Fume* cases. As the Court explained in its Order on the master docket dated March 25, 2011, these requirements apply equally to all cases, whether the plaintiff is represented by counsel or is proceeding *pro se*.

Accordingly, the Court makes clear that the following plaintiffs must file the required documents listed within the deadlines set out below.<sup>1</sup> If the plaintiff fails to file the required documents by the applicable deadlines, his case will be dismissed for want of prosecution. Plaintiff's Liaison Counsel<sup>2</sup> will: (1) attempt to ensure this information is received by the plaintiffs listed below; and (2) assist any *pro se* plaintiff who seeks explanation.

The Court **ORDERS** the clerk of courts to docket this Order on the master docket and also on each individual case docket.

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<sup>1</sup> The deadlines listed are simply the next ones required. The Court may later issue other Orders requiring each plaintiff to meet other necessary deadlines.

<sup>2</sup> Plaintiff's Liaison Counsel, Lisa Gorshe, may be reached at 877-621-1228, or 216-621-8484.

Plaintiff	Case Number	Documents to be Filed	Deadline
McKeithen	05-CV-17672	Plaintiff Fact Sheet, Notice of Diagnosis, and Notice of Compliance with Medical Records Collection. In addition, must provide appropriate medical provider authorizations to Plaintiff's Liaison Counsel.	June 1, 2011
Hall	03-CV-17260	Plaintiff Fact Sheet, Notice of Diagnosis, and Notice of Compliance with Medical Records Collection. In addition, must provide appropriate medical provider authorizations to Plaintiff's Liaison Counsel.	June 1, 2011
Bullard	05-CV-19304	Plaintiff Fact Sheet, Notice of Diagnosis, and Notice of Compliance with Medical Records Collection. In addition, must provide appropriate medical provider authorizations to Plaintiff's Liaison Counsel.	June 1, 2011
Williams	06-CV-17287	Notice of Diagnosis, and Notice of Compliance with Medical Records Collection. In addition, must provide appropriate medical provider authorizations to Plaintiff's Liaison Counsel.	June 1, 2011
McAlister	05-CV-18892	Notice of Compliance with Medical Records Collection. In addition, must provide appropriate medical provider authorizations to Plaintiff's Liaison Counsel.	June 1, 2011
Jankans	06-CV-17268	Notice of Compliance with Medical Records Collection. In addition, must provide appropriate medical provider authorizations to Plaintiff's Liaison Counsel.	June 1, 2011
Walsh	06-CV-17286	Notice of Compliance with Medical Records Collection. In addition, must provide appropriate medical provider authorizations to Plaintiff's Liaison Counsel.	June 1, 2011
Brigham	08-WF-17651	Notice of Certification of intent to try the case.	June 1, 2011
Carrington	08-WF-17633	Notice of Certification of intent to try the case.	June 1, 2011
Casillas	05-CV-18010	Expert Medical Report linking plaintiff's neurological injury to his welding fume exposure.	August 15, 2011

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

/s/ Kathleen M. O'Malley

**KATHLEEN McDONALD O'MALLEY**  
**UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**

**DATED:** May 5, 2011